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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
SHERMAN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	§	
	§	
v.	§	
	§	No. 4:16CR119
LUIS ANGEL NATES-FERNANDEZ (9)	§	Judge Mazzant
a.k.a. "Said"	§	

FACTUAL BASIS

The defendant, **Luis Angel Nates-Fernandez**, hereby stipulates and agrees that at all times relevant to the Indictment herein, the following facts were true:

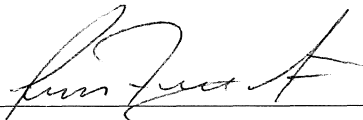
1. That the defendant, **Luis Angel Nates-Fernandez**, who is changing his plea to guilty, is the same person charged in the Indictment.
2. That **Luis Angel Nates-Fernandez** and one or more persons in some way or manner made an agreement to commit the crime charged in the Indictment, to manufacture and distribute 5 kilograms or more of a mixture or substance containing a detectable amount cocaine intending, knowing, and with reasonable cause to believe that the cocaine will be unlawfully imported into the United States.
3. That **Luis Angel Nates-Fernandez** knew the unlawful purpose of the agreement and joined in it with the intent to further it.
4. That **Luis Angel Nates-Fernandez** knew that the amount involved during the term of the conspiracy involved 150 kilograms of a mixture or substance containing a detectable amount of cocaine. This amount was involved in the conspiracy after the

defendant entered the conspiracy, was reasonably foreseeable to the defendant and was part of jointly undertaken activity.

DEFENDANT'S SIGNATURE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

5. I have read this Factual Basis and the Indictment and have discussed them with my attorney. I fully understand the contents of this Factual Basis and agree without reservation that it accurately describes the events and my acts.

Dated: 3-7-2018

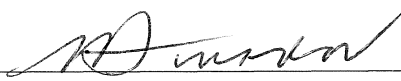


LUIS ANGEL NATES-FERNANDEZ
Defendant

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT'S SIGNATURE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

6. I have read this Factual Basis and the Indictment and have reviewed them with my client. Based upon my discussions with the defendant, I am satisfied that the defendant understands the Factual Basis and the Indictment.

Dated: 3-7-2018



VICTOR AMADOR
Attorney for the Defendant